

Competitive Dance Programs

Is your child looking to take his/her training beyond the recreational level? Viva has two very successful programs that offer additional training along with competitive dance opportunities. Our Performance Team and Company Members commit 1-4 days a week to their training in all genres of dance and will attend competitions and/or conventions in addition to our two recital performances each year. Our goal is for our competitive dancers to develop excellent technical skills while also building exceptional work ethic and team building skills to help them acquire life skills that will follow them thru every chapter of their teenage and adult years. Teams/Groups are formed based on technical ability, movement quality, performance/stage presence, and ability to learn choreography and retain details and corrections. Age and potential for growth are also a consideration as we form our Team and Company groups each season. Teams/Groups are formed May-July for the upcoming School-Year Season. If you are interested in our competitive dance opportunities, please contact us for further information and set up a day/time to have us evaluate your dancer to determine his/her best fit within our program.

Performance Team Program

Ages 5-18, Limited Commitment, 3 Local Competition Events

Tiny Team- Average Age 5-6

Min. 1.5 hours of class each week, 1 Competition Routine (Jazz)

Performance Team 1- Average Age 6-8

Min. 1.75 hours of class each week, 2 Competition Routines (Tap + Jazz)

Performance Team 2- Average Age 8-10

Min. 1.75 hours of class each week, 2 Competition Routines (Tap + Jazz)

Performance Team 3- Average Age 10-13

Min. 1.75 hours of class each week, 2-3 Competition Routines (Tap + Jazz, Opt. Hip-Hop)

Performance Team 4- Average Age 13-18

Min. 1.75 hours of class each week, 2 Competition Routines (Jazz + Contemporary, Opt. Hip-Hop)

Pre-Professional Company Program

Ages 9-18, Strong Commitment, 4-6 Regional Competition/Convention Events

Jr Company- Average Age 9-12

Min. 6 hours class per week, Min. 2 Competition Routines (Jazz + Hip-Hop, Tap and Contemporary groups optional by audition process), Maximum 15 Dancers

Company- Average Age 13-18

Min. 8 hours class per week, Min. 2 Competition Routines (Jazz + Contemporary, Tap and Hip-Hop groups optional by audition process), Maximum 20 Dancers



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Dance & Tumbling Instruction

Ages 18 months – 18 years

Beginners and Beyond

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Studio Policies

Enrollment

Viva offers the convenience of online enrollment thru Dance Studio Pro (DSP) to allow our families access to current schedules, sign up for classes, view statements, and make payments anytime, anywhere. If you are new to VDC, we ask that you follow the link from the homepage of our website (located at the very top) to set up your account. The system is very user friendly and has offered our parents so many great features to help keep them up to date and on track with information and accounting services. A \$25 per family enrollment fee is due once per year (September-May). This fee must be paid at the time of enrollment in order to sign up for classes and is a non-refundable fee. Classes may be added online during open enrollment periods. If you wish to drop a class, you must do so by completing a Drop Form at the desk during business hours by the 20th of the month prior to avoid incurring charges for the following month. Once billing has occurred, charges will not be removed.

Tuition

Tuition is due in full on the 1st of each month. Tuition amount remains the same regardless of number of weeks of class in the month. It is recommended that our families sign up for auto pay thru their Dance Studio Pro Parent Portal. Any account that is not paid in full by the 7th of the month will incur a \$10/child late fee. If a child's account becomes more than 60 days past due, classes may be suspended until payment has been made. If you need to make a payment on-site, you must do so during business hours, and payments must be made via cash or card (we do not accept checks as a form of payment). Tuition payments are non-refundable and non-transferable to another student. Sibling Discount is available for our families with more than one dancer. 2nd child- 10% off, 3rd - 30% off, 4th+- 50% off

Attendance

Attendance will be taken by your child's instructor in each class. If a student arrives more than 10 minutes late for class, it will be left to the discretion of the instructor if they are able to participate in class. There are no refunds for missed classes and a make-up option may or may not be available depending on the class type and level. If available, make-up option will be limited to one per semester. If your child is to miss more than 4 classes for the semester, they may be asked to sit out of the upcoming recital performance.

Inclement Weather

On occasion we do cancel classes if we feel the roads are unsafe for our families to travel to and from the studio. We typically follow the Monroe Public School decision for our daytime classes, but always make a call on evening classes by 2pm. Our calendar includes at least one inclement weather day built in, in the event we incur more than one on any day and we fall under offering at least 32 classes for the year, we will offer a make-up class option or a credit if we cannot find a make-up time in the schedule. Please be sure to check your email or our social media pages (Facebook and Instagram) for closings.

Recital Performance Opportunities

All of our dance students are invited and encouraged to participate in our two performances during the school year. Our Holiday Showcase is held in December at the Mall Of Monroe. Cost to participate is \$40/family and includes costume accessory rental for each recreational dance class, which will be billed with your November tuition. This is an event open to the public, no ticket purchase necessary. Dancers will need to provide base items specified by their instructor for costuming. Viva puts on a spectacular Spring Recital performance in the spring (late May/Early June) at MCCC Meyer Theater. All of our dance and tumbling students are featured in one of our fabulous shows (assigned by weekly class day at the start of the year). Spring dance costumes cost \$65-\$75 depending on class age and will be billed with February tuition. Tumbling leotards cost \$40 and will be billed with March tuition. Accounts must be paid in full in order for costumes to be ordered. Tickets will be sold for the Spring Recital performances and run approximately \$15 each. All tickets will be reserved seating and sales will take place online thru your Dance Studio Pro account. More Information will be provided closer to each event.

Classes Offered

Shining Stars Recital Dance Program

Future Stars (30 min.)	18mo. +	* Parent Assisted Class, No Recital
Twinkle Stars Combo (30 min.)	2 year olds	Dance Basics and Tumbling
Sparkle Stars Combo (60 min.)	3-4 year olds	Tap, Ballet, and Tumbling Combo
Shooting Stars (30-60 min.)	5- 6 year olds	Tap, Ballet, Jazz, Hip-Hop, Tumbling
Superstars (30-60 min.)	7-9 year olds	Tap, Ballet, Jazz, Hip-Hop, Tumbling
Rockstars (30-60 min.)	10+ year olds	Tap, Ballet, Jazz, Hip-Hop, Tumbling

Tumbling Program

Shooting Stars Tumbling	5-6 year olds	No requirements to enroll
Tumbling 1	7+ year olds	No requirements to enroll
Tumbling 2	*	* Backbend required
Tumbling 3	*	* Backwalkover required
Tumbling 4	*	* Roundoff Backhandspring+ required

Ballet Program

Viva offers an outstanding, level based ballet program run by Miss Jennie Zibbel for dancers who are looking for a traditional ballet class focusing on proper technique and terminology. Levels 1-4 are available for dancers ages 7+

Monthly Tuition — Add class hours per week to determine session cost

30 minutes- \$38	2.5 hours- \$118	4.5 hours- \$188	6.5 hours- \$230
45 minutes- \$48	2.75 hours- \$128	4.75 hours- \$193	6.75 hours- \$235
1 hour- \$58	3 hours- \$138	5 hours- \$200	7 hours- \$240
1.25 hours- \$68	3.25 hours- \$148	5.25 hours- \$205	7.25 hours- \$245
1.5 hours- \$78	3.5 hours- \$158	5.5 hours- \$210	7.5 hours- \$250
1.75 hour- \$88	3.75 hours- \$168	5.75 hours- \$215	Unlimited- \$255
2 hours- \$98	4 hours- \$178	6 hours- \$220	Private- \$120/mo.
2.25hours- \$108	4.25 hours- \$183	6.25 hours- \$225	Semi- \$60/mo.